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January 17, 1978

Mr. Paul McKinney
Rural Route #8
Box 48
Decatur, Illinois 62522

Dear Mr. McKinney

A reinspection of your property located southwest of Decatur was made on January 5, 1978, by Terry G. Ayers, representing this Agency. The inspection disclosed the following deficiencies which constitute violations of the Environmental Protection Act and Chapter 7 of the Illinois Pollution Control Board Rules and Regulations on Solid Waste, which have not been corrected since notification by letter from this Agency dated October 20, 1977

. Solid Waste received on the previous operating day did not receive cover material. By the end of each operating day, a compacted layer of at least six (6) inches of suitable natural earthen material shall be placed on all exposed solid waste.

... The slopes of the old fill area lack adequate daily, intermediate and final cover. A great deal of work must be done in this area before Fill Area #2 can be approved.

... Large amounts of wind-blown litter were observed in and around the site. All litter shall be collected from the sanitary landfill site by the end of each working day and either placed in the fill and compacted and covered that day, or stored in a covered container. It is suggested that arrangements be made to provide portable fencing on the leeward side of your unloading site to trap wind-blown litter. Routine policing should also be provided for the site and surrounding area. Under severe conditions, it may be necessary to cover the solid waste at frequent intervals during the day.

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This information is provided to allow you the opportunity to verify or dispute the Agency's findings. I am available to discuss these violations, and a program to correct such violations, at your convenience. I await your reply.

Sincerely,

Rene' Van Someren, Central Region Manager
Land Field Operations Section
Division of Land/Noise Pollution Control

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Enclosure: Inspection Report

cc Division File ✓
Central Region
Land FOS Manager